



Freedom's Flag.

Unfurl her standard to the air,  
She tore the azure robe of night,  
And set the stars of glory there,  
She mingled with her gorgeous dyes  
The milky banners of the dawn,  
And striped its pure, celestial white  
With streakings of the morning light.  
Then from his mansion in the sun  
She called her eagle bearer down,  
And gave into his mighty hand  
The symbol of her chosen land.

Majestic monarch of the cloud,  
Who rear's aloft thy regal form,  
To hear the trumpet tramping loud  
And see the lightning lances driven,  
When strive the warriors of the storm,  
And roll the thunder-drum of heaven,  
Child of the sun to thee 'tis given  
To guard the banner of the free,  
To hover in the sulphur smoke,  
To ward away the battle stroke,  
And bid its blinding smoke afar,  
Like rainbows on the cloud of war,  
The harbingers of victory!

Flag of the brave! thy folds shall fly,  
The sign of hope and triumph shall,  
When speaks the signal trumpet tone,  
And the long line comes gleaming on;  
Ere yet the lifeblood, warm and wet,  
Has dim'd the glistening bayonet,  
Each soldier eye shall brightly turn  
To where thy banner glories burn;  
And as thy springing steps advance,  
Catch war and vengeance from the glance.  
And when the cannon mounthings loud  
Heave in wild wreaths the battle shroud,  
And gory banners rise and fall  
Like sheets of flame on midnight's pall;  
Then shall they meteor glances glow,  
And covering foes shall shrink beneath  
Each gallant arm that strikes below  
That lovely messenger of death.

Flag of the sea! on ocean wave  
Thy stars shall glitter o'er the brave;  
When death, careering on the gale,  
Sweeps darkly round the belted sail,  
And frighted waves rush wildly back  
Before the broadside's roaring rack,  
Each driving wand of sea and air  
Shall look at once to heaven and there,  
And smile to see thy splendors fly  
In triumph o'er his closing eye.

Designed Confederate Button.  
Of the many former confederate veterans who wear the York of the confederate veterans' association, very few know that the design on the button was first drawn by a union officer. The designer was Lieut. R. M. Shurtliff, and he drew the original design without any idea that it would ever be officially adopted by the confederate veterans. This is how the matter came about, as Lieut. Shurtliff tells the story: A few days before the first battle of Bull Run he was sent out on a scouting expedition with a small party of men of the naval brigade, ninety-ninth New York, in which organization he was a first lieutenant. He was to make a report on the condition of the country in front of the union forces. While reconnoitering with his party he was surprised and attacked by a much larger force of confederates, and after being shot through the body and arm, was captured with all his men. The small union flag which the party carried was used to bind up the leader's wounds, and today Lieut. Shurtliff has it in his possession. He says that when he was captured he saw it to him with his compliments many years after the close of the war. For a time his condition was very serious, but his captors gave him the best of care they could and as soon as possible sent him to Richmond where he had hospital care. At that time the confederates were not well furnished with prison quarters for captives. Lieut. Shurtliff was not having been opened, and the lieutenant eventually brought up in the Richmond penitentiary, where he and his little cat, but was treated very kindly. Still weak from the effects of his wounds, he was unable to walk about and spent much of his time while lying on his cot in making drawings for his own amusement and for the edification of the soldiers. The officers got paints and brushes for him, and he made water color sketches which he presented to them. One day one of the officers who had been very kind to him came to his cot and said: "I wonder if you could design a sort of patriotic emblem for me. I might," replied the prisoner smiling, "but I suspect that your idea and mine of what a patriotic emblem is wouldn't be quite identical." "Very likely not," agreed the other, "but this isn't anything that you can't do. You can't do anything about it. Gen. Beauregard's little daughter is a great chum of mine, and I promised her I'd get up some sort of a painting of a confederate flag for her to hang on the wall. I've been trying to think of something, but as a designer I'm no use. So it occurred to me that you might help me out." "Why, of course, I'll be glad to do what I can," said Lieut. Shurtliff. Give me a few days' time, and I'll get something done for you. He went to sketching, and presently, with the assistance of the artist, became deeply absorbed in the matter of the design, working all that day and getting up early the next morning to continue the task, disregarding one idea after another until he finally hit upon a design that suited him. This was the St. Andrew's cross in blue on a red ground, with marine ornaments of stars. He finished it up handsomely in water colors and turned it over to his confederate friend, who was much pleased with it and brought back with him a small blue and white flag with the St. Andrew's cross in blue on a red ground, with marine ornaments of stars. He finished it up handsomely in water colors and turned it over to his confederate friend, who was much pleased with it and brought back with him a small blue and white flag with the St. Andrew's cross in blue on a red ground, with marine ornaments of stars.

## FARM AND GARDEN.

### MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURISTS.

Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cultivation of the Soil and Fields Therein—Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

The Soy Bean.  
The soy bean is a native of Japan, taking its name from a samurai, from whom it is believed to have been introduced into America. It is a legume, and is cultivated in the eastern part of the United States, and is one of the most important crops of the country. It is a very hardy plant, and is well adapted to the soil and climate of the United States. It is a very profitable crop, and is well adapted to the soil and climate of the United States. It is a very profitable crop, and is well adapted to the soil and climate of the United States.



place of meat in the diet of the common people, animals being too expensive in the densely populated island. As an article of human food in this country it has not been popularly accepted, as the beans contain a large quantity of gluten, and are very difficult to cook. As a food for live stock, however, there is no doubt of their value, whether grown for the hay crop or for the beans thrashed, to feed with some other grain feed, like Indian corn or Kaffir corn.

The soy bean is an upright, branching, tree-like stalk from one and one-half to three feet high. The branches come out near the ground and grow upward near the main stem; the number of branches depends upon the soil and the plants are short, flat, brown and fuzzy, containing from one to four beans, usually three. The pods grow very close to the stems, from the surface of the ground to the tops, there being at times as many as 200 pods on a single plant. The flowers are small and inconspicuous, and are of a pale yellow color.



Fig. 1. Soy bean; actual size of pod and bean.

to a violet blue. The leaves are large, irregular in shape, borne on a long stem and drop off as the beans ripen.

Horticultural Observations.  
The cow pea promises to be as good a friend to the fruit grower as it is to the general farmer that cannot grow clover. It can be grown for a few months in the orchard or between the rows of blackberries and raspberries, and in fact in connection with almost any bush fruit. It is easily disposed of, the long vines making it easy to handle it rapidly. Even the strawberry grower may find this plant a serviceable ally. Perhaps it will pay to put it on the land lately occupied by a strawberry bed. Land so treated should soon be serviceable for another bed.

The strawberry root house has been recognized as a strawberry pest since 1882, in which year it was described by Prof. Forbes. Prof. Wood took the study of the insect and named it Aphid Forbesi, in honor of Prof. Forbes. It is now quite generally known as far east as the Atlantic coast. In New Jersey and Maryland this year it is reported to have done a good deal of damage. Fortunately the insect is wingless and can spread but slowly. It is, however, believed that the ants help it to spread, by carrying it to new beds. The ants also do some damage to the plants by tunneling around the strawberry roots, and the lice can find good feeding ground, the pay the ant receives being the honey-dew the lice exude. It is a difficult insect to fight when it has once obtained a foothold, as its work is largely underground. The best way to do when the insect has appeared in a neighborhood is to put out new beds on absolutely clean ground and see that no colonies of ants are near enough to assist the plant lice to new pastures.

Water Lilies in Pots.  
A few years since, the water lily was cultivated only in a few botanical gardens, and was universally supposed to be manageable only by the specialist. But year by year it has been taken up by amateurs, and now it is a common sight in the garden. It is a very beautiful plant, and is well adapted to the soil and climate of the United States. It is a very profitable crop, and is well adapted to the soil and climate of the United States.

A striking break for self reform has been made by a brilliant young man of Richmond, Va., who threw up without warning a responsible bank position, and after two weeks of disappearance turned up as an enlisted soldier in the United States cavalry at Cincinnati. This is Winston H. Granberry, son of Bishop Granberry of the Methodist Episcopal church of South, who found himself falling into bad habits and determined to free himself from temptations. He had so starved himself before reaching Cincinnati that the recruiting officer fed him army rations for three days before he was allowed to enlist. He was then sent to the front, and is now fighting bravely.

Not on the Map.  
A gentleman observed his little son attentively studying a map of the world. "What place are you looking for, Willie?" he inquired. The small boy knelt his brow, and traveled a circuitous route with his finger before he answered earnestly: "Twins to find Christendom."

Probably Biblical Means.  
It seems, in the present day, Arabs who are obliged to traverse the sandy wastes of Arabia depend to a large extent upon "angel's food," both for themselves and for their camels. The manna is in reality a fungus which is found in great quantities on the sand after rain.

The Division of Forestry will commence immediately an investigation which will last several months. The controversy over the ownership of the forest lands has been a long and bitter one, and the government has decided to investigate the matter. The investigation will be conducted by the Division of Forestry, and will involve the examination of the forest lands in the United States, and the determination of the ownership of the same. The investigation will be a thorough one, and will involve the examination of the forest lands in the United States, and the determination of the ownership of the same.

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The Japanese is a born lover of nature. Whatever he produces, from the most painstaking work of art to the simplest household utensil, is after natural models. In the representation of figures and scenes the Japanese display a perception which is astonishing. With a couple of strokes of the brush they reproduce what they see with a truth to life which is almost incredible.

School Gardens in Europe.  
In kitchen gardens the Swedes especially to promote agriculture, while the French seek to advance the culture of fruit, vegetables and flowers. The school gardens in the country places of Switzerland are intended to give theoretical training in the growth of the most useful and important plants and to give practical instruction in rural embellishments.

Eyes of the House-Fly.  
The common house fly is said to be provided with 16,000 eyes; but to say, his two compound eyes have each 8,000 facets. By this singular arrangement he is enabled to see in every direction, and to elude with great skill and success the many dangers that threaten his daily existence.

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Made a Finger of a Toe.  
A substituted foreigner was shown by a Koenigsberg doctor at a surgical congress in Berlin recently. He had cut off the patient's second toe and sewed it to the stump of the missing finger, and the operation was successful. The doctor did not explain how or where he was going to get a new toe for the patient, so it looks like a case of robbing Peter to pay Paul.

You can generally tell if a woman has on torn gloves by the suspicious way in which she holds her hands.

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Only One White Horse Mary.  
Although Mary is believed to be the commonest of the names of women, the wife of only one president was so named, and she, fittingly, was the wife of homespun Lincoln—Mary Todd Lincoln. There were two Marys, both from Virginia, Martha Washington and Martha Jefferson; two Abigail, the wives of President Fillmore and John Adams, and two Elizabeths, Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Johnson. Of the wives of the other presidents, no two have had the same Christian name.

The Russian Navy.  
It is impossible to state what naval force Russia could float should war break out with Japan. Great additions have lately been made to the Russian squadron in the Pacific at China seas, where Vladivostok and Port Arthur are the bases, and many more vessels could doubtless be added in an emergency. The latest estimate of the strength of the Russian navy including vessels built and building, is 294 vessels of 565,235 tons displacement, while the navy of Japan, built and building, is estimated at 132 vessels, of 264,435 tons displacement.

And All Was Bright Again.  
A widower down east felt keenly the death of his wife. She was a good woman, and he mourned for her taking off constantly. He had a handsome monument erected at the head of her grave, and thereon placed this beautiful inscription: "The light of my life has gone out." In the course of a year he met and married a woman who very much resembled his first wife. In order that she might not feel too keenly the position in which she was placed he added to the inscription on the monument: "But I have struck another match."—Freeport Journal.

One of the Emperor's Fads.  
Among the many fads of Emperor William is his passion for collecting boots and shoes of famous people, his collection of these particular objects of attire constituting a fitting pendant to his huge museum of uniforms. The collection is kept in the marble palace at Potsdam and there are some 5,000 pairs, from Greek sandals and the pointed slippers reputed to have belonged to Mahomet to the boots of Wallenstein, of Gustavus Adolphus, of Peter the Great, of Frederick the Great and lastly of the first Napoleon.

Caterpillars 20 Cents a Quart.  
The village of Saratoga has reopened its public market for the purchase of the forest tree caterpillars, which started out to destroy the street shade trees, says the New York Press. Three hundred people, residents and visitors, brought the pests in pails and pans and received 20 cents a quart for them from the village, which buries them alive. Nearly \$500 was paid out yesterday. This method of extermination is found more effective than spraying the trees.

Sir Richard Cartwright.  
Sir Richard Cartwright belongs to one of the old family of Upper Canada, and in the early days of his public life gave an independent support to Sir John Macdonald. Since the period of the "Pacific scandal" he has acted with and been a member of the Reform party. He was Finance Minister in Mr. Alexander McKenzie's cabinet. Sir Richard was never a member of a government of which Sir John Macdonald was premier.

The Peacock Feather Craze.  
One sees new examples of it constantly. There is a craze for peacock feathers. An elaborate housewag, for example, is of gray panne with long peacock feathers embroidered on the skirt. This frock is cut in the Diorite fashion, with a short bolero of purple edged with chinchilla. The collar and revers of the little jacket are faced with a changeable blue and green velvet.

Millionaire to Peddle.  
Less than two years ago Grant Gillette was perhaps the leading cattle dealer and speculator in Kansas. He was worth millions. Just before Thanksgiving, 1898, he collapsed through over-speculation. Cattlemen and banks are now fighting over the remains of his once vast estate, and Gillette is now peddling in Chihuahua, Mexico.

In Honor of His Last Leg.  
An odd celebration in New York the other day was that of the thirtieth anniversary of the loss of the leg of former Senator Matthew G. Butler of South Carolina, who came out of the battle of Brandy Station in 1863 with only one leg. The celebration was a dinner at Delmonico's given by Mr. Butler to some of his friends.

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Cooperative Mines in Colorado.  
Officers of the Colorado State Federation of Labor are arranging to lease the state a large amount of coal and mineral land on which water will be opened on the co-operative plan.

It London Were Stagnant.  
It has been estimated that the food supply of London would not last out a week if its communications with the country were broken and the inflow of provisions stopped by any cause.

Street Railroads in Great Britain.  
Some thirteen or twenty British cities own and operate street railway systems, and of the whole track mileage in Great Britain over one-third is owned by the public.

Brilliant Before Storm.  
Glow-worms are much more brilliant when a storm is coming on than at other seasons. Like many other mysteries of nature, this curious circumstance has never been explained.

Opportunity often goes past the door where the knocker is kept too bright.

Marydell More Than Seventy Years.  
Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Brown, who live half a mile from Hagerstown, Ind., have been married over seventy years and are still comparatively hearty. Mr. Brown was born December 25, 1808, and his wife July 17, 1817. They are the parents of eleven children, six of whom are still alive.

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Judge Addison Brown of the United States district court in New York City has decided that the amount of damages collectable from a common carrier whose negligence has resulted in loss of life varies with the age of the victim. Thus the widow of a man aged 50 got \$5,000, while the widows of two other men, each aged 77, received \$7,500.

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